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VISIT OF HISTORIC PRESERVATION SPECIALISTS (02.04-12)

REF: A) MOSCOW 07848; B) STATE 118095; C) STATE 053353

1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS SUBSTANCE OF FOLLOWING TO YURI
YARALOV, DIRECTOR, CENTRAL RESEARCH INSTITUTE OF THEORY AND
HISTORY OF ARCHITECTURE OF GOSGRAZHDANSTROY, WITH COPIES TO
VLADIMIR NOVIKOV OF GOSGRAZHDANSTROY AND KAZAKOV OF HYDROMET.

2. ERNEST CONNALLY HAS RECEIVED YARALOV'S APRIL 28 LETTER
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(REFTEL A) STATING THAT HE WOULD BE PLEASED TO RECEIVE U.S.

DELEGATION JUNE 12-27. YARALOV'S LETTER UNFORTUNATELY ARRIVED AFTER MESSAGE OF MAY 13 (REFTEL B) WAS TRANSMITTED, CANCELLING U.S. PLANS FOR VISIT DUE TO LACK OF SOVIET RESPONSE. HOWEVER, U.S. SIDE IS PLEASED TO PROCEED WITH ARRANGEMENTS FOR DELEGATION VISIT AND POSTPONEMENT IS NO LONGER REPEAT NO LONGER NECESSARY.

3. CONNALLY CONFIRMS PREVIOUS LIST (REFTEL C) OF AMERICAN DELEGATES AS FOLLOWS:

JERRY L. ROGERS, ACTING DIRECTOR, OFFICE OF ARCHAEOLOGY AND HISTORIC PRESERVATION, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE;
JOHN C. POPPELIERS, CHIEF, HISTORIC AMERICAN BUILDING SURVEY, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE;

T. ALLAN COMP, SENIOR HISTORIAN OF TECHNOLOGY, HISTORIC AMERICAN ENGINEERING RECORD, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE;

MICHAEL MELITONOV, INTERPRETER AND ADVISOR TO DELEGATION, WHO HAS PREPARED TRANSLATED TEXT OF U.S. PRESENTATIONS AND WHO WILL PROVIDE CONSECUTIVE TRANSLATIONS FOR U.S. TEAM MEMBERS DURING THEIR PRESENTATIONS.

4. U.S. DELEGATION HAS REVIEWED THE ITINERARY PROPOSED BY YARALOV AND IS MOST APPRECIATIVE OF THE CONSIDERABLE EFFORT MADE BY SOVIET HOSTS TO SCHEDULE FORUMS OF EXCHANGES; ITINERARY IS ACCEPTED. FLIGHT INFORMATION FOR U.S. DELEGATION WILL BE SENT AS SOON AS IT IS CONFIRMED.

5. IN VIEW OF MISUNDERSTANDINGS AND CROSSING OF CORRESPONDENCE (REFTELS) THAT HAVE OCCURRED IN THIS PROJECT, PLEASE OBTAIN CONFIRMATION FROM YARALOV OR NOVIKOV ASAP THAT SOVIETS ARE READY TO HOST U.S. DELEGATION AS PLANNED JUNE 12-27, AND REQUEST THEM TO BEGIN VISA ISSUANCE PROCEDURE ASAP. ROBINSON

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